

Psalm 16

Mich-tam of David

King James Version (KJV)

16 Preserve me, O God: for in thee do I put my trust.

²O my soul, thou hast said unto the LORD, Thou art my Lord: my goodness extendeth not to thee; **(My goodness is nothing as compared to God's goodness)**

³But to the saints that are in the earth, and to the excellent, in whom is all my delight.

⁴Their sorrows shall be multiplied that hasten after another god: their drink offerings of blood will I not offer, nor take up their names into my lips.

⁵The LORD is the portion of mine inheritance and of my cup: thou maintainest my lot.

⁶The lines are fallen unto me in pleasant places; yea, I have a goodly heritage. **(the lines refer to a boundary of land, as in an inheritance)**

⁷I will bless the LORD, who hath given me counsel: my reins also instruct me in the night seasons.

⁸I have set the LORD always before me: because he is at my right hand, I shall not be moved. **(Jesus is at the right hand of God)**

⁹Therefore my heart is glad, and my glory rejoiceth: my flesh also shall rest in hope. **(Foretells of Jesus' resurrection)**

¹⁰For thou wilt not leave my soul in hell; neither wilt thou suffer thine Holy One to see corruption. **(Jesus' body saw no corruption)**

¹¹Thou wilt shew me the path of life: in thy presence is fulness of joy; at thy right hand there are pleasures for evermore. **(Eternal life)**

(Mich-tam= engraved. This should be engraved in stone, because of its importance)